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To: PSC\_Contact

**Subject:** [External] Solar freedom: Docket #2020-229-E

My name is Cheryl Clair and I live in Charleston.SC

I'm writing concerning:

Docket Number: 2020-229-E

I support energy freedom in South Carolina because as a citizen and property owner for almost 21 years and have been leasing solar panels for the past four years to help relieve some of the cost of energy we had been experiencing in the past and to do what we could to use clean energy.

I oppose Dominion Energy's direct attacks on solar and energy independence because at the time my husband had the panels installed, SCE&G's rate were increasing. We were looking for a way to help us and Mother Earth by using what the good Lord had provided through the sun. Our property has no shade from trees so we were a great candidate for panels. At the time the electric company didn't offer this service so we researched local Solar companies and chose one we thought would support our needs.

My family depends on solar energy because during the months we use our A/C we see a benefit due to the Sun! We also use natural gas for two appliances, our water heater and our furnace. I had plans to convert at these two of these to electricity so that we could benefit even more, however if Dominion is going to charge me for a "tariff" then I would not benefit nor would I be using more green energy. Please don't let Dominion energy negate what we have tried to accomplish.

Sincerely, Cheryl Clair Solar energy user

Sent from my iPhone